IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 26, 2008, entry of the following amendments and remarks is requested. A fee for an extension of time for a period of two months is required. The fee will be paid via EFS Web.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

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